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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

# PROVINCIAL STUDENT-AID LOANS

## 1958 — 1959

### *Announcement and Conditions of Award*

The Minister of Education for Ontario announces the establishment of a Student-Aid Loan Fund from which assistance in the form of loans may be given to applicants who meet the conditions of award.

## GENERAL

### *Interpretation*

#### 1. In this announcement

- (a) "applicant" means applicant for a Provincial Student-Aid Loan;
- (b) "Committee of Award" means the Committee composed of members appointed by the Minister of Education for Ontario, this Committee to be responsible for making awards under the Student-Aid Loan Fund programme;
- (c) "eligible institution" means a Canadian University or a College affiliated therewith, a Canadian Service College, an Ontario Teachers' College, the Ontario College of Education, the Ontario College of Art, a Provincial Institute of Technology, or the Osgoode Hall Law School.

### *General Requirements*

- 2. An applicant for a loan shall be in good health and of good character and shall establish in his application by his own declaration and, if he is under 21 years of age, that of his parent or guardian, his need of financial assistance to enable him to complete his course of study for the academic year 1958-59.
- 3. (a) An applicant who is responsible for his own support shall have been a resident of Ontario for at least one year before the date of his application.
- (b) The parent or guardian of an applicant other than an applicant under (a) shall have been a resident of Ontario for at least one year before the date of the application.



# Persons Eligible for Loans

Applicants who have been in attendance at an eligible institution during the academic year 1957-58.

4. Application for a loan may be made by a student who is or expects to be in attendance during the academic year 1958-59 in a full-time course in an eligible institution, provided that he meets the conditions noted in this section for the institution concerned, and provided that he is not repeating a year of his course in 1958-59. Such application must be made through the head or registering official of the eligible institution to be attended in 1958-59, must bear his confidential report and recommendation, and be forwarded by him to the Secretary, Provincial Student-Aid Loan Fund Committee, Department of Education, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. Eligible institutions and the conditions required of applicants from each institution are as follows:

- (a) A Canadian University or College affiliated therewith, or a Canadian Service College, but only where the applicant
  - (i) has obtained an average of at least third-class standing, or its equivalent, on the University examinations held at the end of the academic year 1957-58,
  - (ii) is proceeding towards a degree other than a degree in Divinity, or to a University diploma,
  - (iii) is not repeating a year in the same or another course or faculty, unless taking the previous course was a prerequisite for admission to the present course, and
  - (iv) is not enrolled under the Regular Officer Training Plan.
- (b) An Ontario Teachers' College, but only where the applicant has obtained unconditional admission to the second year of the Two-year Course and is recommended by the Principal of the College.
- (c) The Ontario College of Education, but only where the applicant
  - (i) has obtained an average of at least third-class standing, or its equivalent, on the university examinations of his graduating year,
  - or
  - (ii) is in attendance at the Ontario College of Education during the academic year 1958-59 and is recommended by the Dean of the College.
- (d) The Ontario College of Art, but only where the Principal of the College certifies that the applicant shows aptitude and industry in the course in which he is enrolled, and gives promise of becoming a successful worker in some phase of art or craft production.
- (e) A Provincial Institute of Technology, but only where the applicant has obtained an average of at least 60 per cent on the Institute examinations which qualify him for promotion to the second or later year of his course.
- (f) The Osgoode Hall Law School, but only where the applicant
  - (i) is or expects to be enrolled in the First, Second, or Third Year of the LL.B. degree course, or the Fourth Year of the course for Call to the Bar and admission as a solicitor, and
  - (ii) has obtained an average of at least third-class standing, or its equivalent, on the examinations which qualify him for admission to his course in the academic year 1958-59.



Applicants who have not been in attendance at an eligible institution during the academic year 1957-58.

5. A person who has not been in attendance at an eligible institution nor in regular day-time attendance in a provincial or private secondary school during the school year 1957-58, who holds Grade 13 standing in at least 8 papers or its equivalent, and who proposes to attend an eligible institution during the academic year 1958-59, may apply for a Student-Aid Loan under the procedure outlined in section 12.
6. A student who has been in regular day-time attendance in Grade 13 of a provincial or private secondary school during the school year 1957-58 and who proposes to attend an eligible institution during the academic year 1958-59 may apply for a Student-Aid Loan, through the Principal of his school, following the procedure outlined in section 13.
7. A student who is in attendance at an eligible institution during the academic year 1958-59 and who is not eligible to apply for a Student-Aid Loan under sections 4, 5, or 6, may apply for a Student-Aid Loan through the head or registering official of the institution attended, but only after January 1, 1959, and if recommended by the head or registering official on the basis of the applicant's standing at the end of the first term.

## Maximum Amounts of Loans

8. (a) The maximum loan granted to any applicant for any one year shall ordinarily be \$500.00.
- (b) In general, the maximum loan outstanding to any student at any one time shall be \$2,000.00, but additional amounts may be lent at the discretion of the Minister to students taking an undergraduate course of more than four years' duration or to post-graduate students.

## Repayments of Loans

9. A successful applicant will be required to sign an undertaking to repay the loan with simple interest at 4 per cent per annum calculated from the first day of April in the year following his graduation or withdrawal from the eligible institution, the payments to be \$25.00 a month beginning with the said first day of April, with the privilege of paying any additional amount at any time. Payments made on account of the loan shall be applied first to any interest due on the loan.

## Procedure When Applying for a Loan

For applicants who have been in attendance at an eligible institution during the academic year 1957-58.

10. An applicant who is enrolled in a full-time course in one of the eligible institutions shall
  - (a) obtain an application form (Form 121) from the head or registering official of the institution, and
  - (b) submit the completed application form to the head or registering official of the institution to be attended in 1958-59.
11. The head or registering official of the institution to be attended in 1958-59 will complete the appropriate sections of Form 121 on behalf of the applicant and forward it to the Secretary, Provincial Student-Aid Loan Fund Committee, Department of Education, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.



For applicants who have not been in attendance at an eligible institution during the academic year 1957-58.

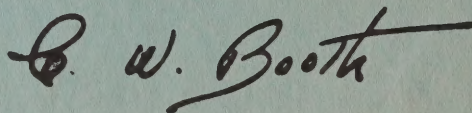
12. An applicant who has not been in attendance at an eligible institution, nor in regular day-time attendance in a provincial or private secondary school during the school year 1957-58, may obtain an application form (Form 121) from the Secretary, Provincial Student-Aid Loan Fund Committee, Department of Education, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. The applicant shall then complete the form as far as he is able and forward it to the Secretary of the Committee.
13. A student who has been in regular day-time attendance in Grade 13 of a provincial or private secondary school during the school year 1957-58 and who is in need of financial assistance to enable him to pursue his education in an eligible institution, should first apply for a Student-Aid Bursary, Type A, following the procedure outlined in Circulars 115, 116, and 117. An unsuccessful applicant for a bursary will be considered for a student-aid loan. (See Note below.)

### *Notification of Decision and Payment of Loan*

14. An applicant will be informed as early as possible as to whether or not his application has been successful.
15. A successful applicant under section 4, 6, or 7 must be in regular attendance in the year and course in respect of which he applied for a loan, before the payment of the loan will be made.
16. A successful applicant under section 5 will receive his loan in two equal instalments. He must be in regular attendance in the year and course in respect of which he applied for a loan before payment of the first instalment will be made. Payment of the second instalment will be made after January 1, 1959, provided that the applicant is recommended by the head or the registering official of the eligible institution on the basis of the applicant's work during the first term, and is regularly enrolled for the second term of the academic year.

#### Note:

1. An unsuccessful applicant for a Student-Aid Bursary, Type A or Type B, will automatically be considered for a Provincial Student-Aid Loan. If he is eligible for a loan, an application form will be sent to him along with the notification of the decision on his bursary application. Should he desire to avail himself of a loan he will complete the form as far as he is able and submit it direct to the Secretary, Provincial Student-Aid Loan Fund Committee, Department of Education, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.
2. In special cases, a bursary award may be supplemented by a loan.



Deputy Minister of Education.

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